

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

<u>In re application of:</u>	October 1, 2007
<u>Kubo, et al</u>	Group Art Unit: 2621
<u>Serial No. 10/716,791</u>	Examiner: David Werner
<u>Filed: November 19, 2003</u>	IBM Corporation
<u>Title: FORMAT CONVERSION CIRCUIT</u>	Anne Vachon Dougherty
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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents

Sir:

Applicants hereby petition for an extension of time for a period of two months to respond to the Office Action dated April 30, 2007. The period for response, which had been set to expire on July 30, 2007, will now expire on October 1, 2007, since the 30<sup>th</sup> of September fell on a Sunday during which the PTO was closed. Authorization is hereby given to charge Deposit Account 50-0510 in the amount of \$450.00 for the two month extension.

Respectfully submitted,

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